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BETA-PARAMETER ACCORDING TO RESULTS OF READ
DATA SLICED WITH DIFFERENT SLICING LEVELS WHILE
PERFORMING OPTIMAL POWER CONTROL OF OPTICAL

DISK DRIVE

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